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**HASTINGS**

January 22, 2024

**Via ECF**

Hon. Sidney H. Stein  
United States District Judge  
Southern District of New York  
500 Pearl Street, Courtroom 23A  
New York, NY 10007

**Re: *United States v. Robert Menendez et al.*, No. 23 Cr. 490 (SHS)**

Dear Judge Stein:

We represent Senator Menendez in the above-captioned matter. We write in response to the Court's January 17, 2024 Order (ECF 147) to advise the Court that we take no position regarding the press's unsealing requests (ECF 125 & 145) or the government's redactions (ECF 152).

Respectfully submitted,

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